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BRISTOL

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ANNUAL REPORTS
OF THE
SELECTMEN, ROAD AGENT,
School Board, Board of Education, Firewards,
Trustees Minot-Sleeper Library and
Park Commission
OF THE
TOWN OF BRISTOL
FOR THE
Year Ending February 15, 1906.



BRISTOL, N. H.
From the Press of R. W. Musgrove
1906

Town Officers

Moderator, IRA A. CHASE

Town Clerk, DAVID M. CALLEY.

Selectmen, J. W. SAUNDERS, H. T. HEATH,
CHAS. W. WELLS.

Treasurer, C. H. DICKINSON.

Collector, CHARLES BOARDMAN.

Road Agent, A. H. TOWNS.

Auditors, WILLIAM C. WHITE, JOHN R. CONNOR.

Supervisors, C. A. SMITH, JOHN R. CONNOR, W.
S. H. REMICK.

Selectmen's Report

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1906

Inventory of the town of Bristol, Apr. 1, 1905.

420 Polls	\$42,000 00
Land and Buildings	509,536 00
313 Horses	18,630 00
2 Mules	200 00
26 Oxen	1,180 00
400 Cows	8,792 00
99 Neats	1,576 00
51 Sheep	146 00
35 carriages	1,450 00
Stock in banks and other corporations in state	38,650 00
Money on hand at interest or on deposit	2,000 00
Stock in trade	59,550 00
Aqueducts	12,000 00
Mills and machinery	91,100 00
	\$786,810 00

LIABILITIES

Edmund Cheney fund	\$100 00
Geo. F. Sanborn estate, note	600 00
“ “	500 00
“ “	900 00
First National Bank, note	2,000 00
C. H. Tukey, note	1,000 00
D. H. Sleeper church fund	1,302 00

Bonds	\$10,100 00
	\$16,502 00

ASSETS

In treasury	\$1,617 64
Sinking fund in Savings Bank	80 00
D. H. Sleeper church fund in Savings Bank	1,302 00
Due from County of Grafton	93 68
In hands of collector 1905	954 26
	\$4,047 58

DEBT STATEMENT

Liabilities Feb. 15, 1906	\$16,502 00
Assets	4,047 58
Debt of town	\$12,454 42
Debt of town Feb. 15, 1905	\$13,060 57
" " 1906	12,454 42
Decrease of debt for the year	\$606 15

RECEIPTS

In the treasury, Mar. 14, 1905	\$1,691 10
Committed to collector	16,976 35
Grafton County	78 03
First National Bank	1,500 00
Geo. A. Emerson, treasurer, rebate on street lights	160 00

Henry Keyes, license commissioner	\$113 80
Jackman fund	30 00
W. H. Dicey, agent 1904	29 98
County of Grafton	163 18
From the State for State road	404 99
David Sleeper, life insurance	1,302 00
Insurance tax	8 25
Railroad tax	644 89
Savings Bank tax	2,475 46
Literary fund	144 65
High school tuition	129 04
Interest, Minot-Sleeper fund	76 16
" on bonds	73 80
Dog license	184 00
Jackman fund	37 50
Rent of town hall	274 75
Collected not in warrant	38 91
Interest collected	25 00
Collector 1904	949 75
From sinking fund	2,503 67
	\$30,015 26

DISBURSEMENTS

Paid :

State tax	\$1,738 25
County tax	1,921 54
Miscellaneous	516 57
Highways and bridges	4,250 00
Street lights	1,275 00
Street sprinkling	248 50
Minot-Sleeper Library	647 31

Mar.	21,	Mary A. Durgin, ministerial fund 1904 and 1905,	\$4 00
Apr.	21,	J. W. Saunders, stamps and supplies for office	3 00
	29,	Weymouth & Field, supplies for office	35
		A. A. Veasey, damage on highway	10 00
May	27,	Edson C. Eastman, books for office	16 50
		J. W. Wilbur & Co., teams	10 50
		H. T. Heath, expense to Concord	2 10
		J. W. Saunders, expense to Plymouth	4 00
		Albro Wells, " "	
		witness Coolidge case	3 17
		E. T. Hutchins, dinner for election officers	1 60
		Charles H. Proctor, Memorial day fund	60 00
June	24,	A. F. Cate, painting iron bridge	6 75
		R. W. Musgrove, printing	8 57
July	29,	LaForest Ballou, school board 1904	15 00
		F. P. Haley, mowing cemetery	2 00
Aug.	11,	H. T. Heath, expense to Concord	2 00
		J. W. Saunders, " "	2 00
Sept.	8,	Geo. D. Maclinn, services as truant officer	10 00
	23,	Chas. W. Fields, enumerating scholars	7 00
Oct.	28,	Geo. D. Maclinn, care of monument lot	6 00
		A. E. Macuen, care of town clock	8 75
		A. K. Peasley, water tub	3 00
Nov.	13,	Alvin Burleigh, services in Coolidge case	15 00
		A. C. Phipps, copying inventory	5 00
Nov.	25,	H. T. Heath, expense to Plymouth	3 00
Dec.	14,	J. W. Saunders, expense to Concord	2 00

1906 :

Jan.	27,	D. M. Calley, recording births, deaths, marriages	\$10 35
		D. M. Calley, copying old records births, deaths, marriages	30 65
		D. M. Calley, procuring names of children 1900 to 1906	20 00
		D. M. Calley, tally-sheets	6 00
		D. M. Calley, express on bundles to Concord	75
		D. M. Calley, dog license blank	2 00
		“ postage and stationery	3 00
Feb.	8,	Prescott M. Plumer, damage on high- way	60 00
	14,	L. W. Fling, retaining fee	25 00
		“ expense on Coolidge case	18 00
		J. W. Coolidge, returning births, deaths	5 75
		Herbert Braley, feeding tramps	2 20
Feb.	14,	R. W. Musgrove, printing	8 60
		A. E. Macuen, care of town clock	6 25
	15,	Channing Bishop, returning births, deaths	3 00
		Weymouth & Field, supplies	12
		E. T. Pike, use of water tub	3 00
		E. J. Gordon, use of water tub	3 00
		H. B. Worthen, school board 1905	15 00
			\$516 57

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

1905 :

Mar.	18,	A. H. Towns, highway money	\$500 00
Apr.	13,	“ “	200 00

Apr.	29,	A. H. Towns, highway money,	\$200 00
May	27,	" "	500 00
July	29,	" Crusher plant money	800 00
Aug.	11,	C. N. Merrill, rent of ground for 1904	75 00
	19,	A. H. Towns, highway money	200 00
	21,	" "	200 00
Sept.	23,	" "	200 00
Dec.	14,	" "	600 00
1906 :			
Jan.	10,	" "	500 00
Feb.	15,	" "	275 00
			\$4,250 00

STREET LIGHTS

1905			
July	29,	Geo. A. Emerson, treasurer	\$281 23
Nov.	25,	" "	630 00
		" Extra fixtures	39 65
1906 :			
Feb.	13,	" "	315 00
		" "	9 12
			\$1,275 00

SPRINKLING STREETS

1905 :			
Oct.	28,	A. H. Towns	\$200 00
Feb.	15,	" "	48 50
			\$248 50

STATE ROAD

1905 :

Sept. 18,	Frank W. Berry, surveying road	\$12 80
Oct. 28,	Will Gordon, concretor	600 00
Nov. 18,	“ “	749 00
		\$1,361 80

MINOT-SLEEPER LIBRARY

1905 :

Apr. 17,	Grace H. Wingate, librarian	\$20 36
June 24,	Geo. D. MacLinn, labor	4 00
	R. W. Musgrove, printing	8 35
June 30,	Grace E. Hammond, librarian	29 70
July 29,	Geo. A. Emerson, treasurer, lights	6 30
	N. B. Buttrick, labor	1 30
Aug. 29,	Grace E. Hammond, librarian	17 87
Sept. 23,	F. J. Barnard, binding books	31 60
	D. K. Cummings, labor	3 00
Oct. 28,	“ “	7 75
	J. B. Paddleford, freight and carting	1 21
	N. B. Buttrick, labor	9 75
	E. T. Hutchins, lumber	6 84
Nov. 25,	Dearborn & Chase, insurance	7 20
	Geo. A. Emerson, treasurer, lights	12 60
Dec. 1,	Mary A. Dodge, librarian	26 50
14,	B. L. & A. Wells, lumber and supplies	11 60
30,	James Pattee, labor	2 25
	H. H. Pattee, labor	5 63
	Geo. H. Calley, treasurer, Jackman fund	30 00

Dec. 30.	Geo. H. Calley, interest on Minot-Sleeper fund	\$225 00	
	Weymouth & Field, supplies	8 45	
	Gaylord Bros., supplies	1 15	
Dec. 30.	Chas. Boardman, labor	1 50	
1906 :			
Jan. 27.	J. B. Paddleford, carting and freight	1 18	
Feb. 13.	Mary A. Dodge, librarian	16 67	
	“ extra services	22 00	
	Geo. A. Emerson, treasurer, lights	6 30	
	C. A. Smith, supplies	7 21	
14.	Fred W. Simonds, labor	7 55	
	S. M. Clark, janitor	41 00	
	R. W. Musgrove, printing	1 75	
	B. L. & A. Wells, lumber and labor	25 89	
	N. B. Buttrick, labor	35	
15.	Geo. H. Calley, Jackman fund	37 50	
			\$647 31
Interest received from Minot-Sleeper fund		76 16	
Dividends, Jackman fund		67 50	143 66
Net expense of library			\$503 65

TOWN HALL

1905 :			
Mar. 21.	B. M. Ames, wood	\$27 00	
Apr. 29.	W. S. H. Remick, sawing wood	4 05	
May. 27.	M. W. White, treasurer, water rent	3 00	
May 29.	G. A. Emerson, treasurer, lights	21 94	
Nov. 25.	“ “	45 80	
	Cavis Bros., lock and supplies	2 30	

1906 :

Jan.	27,	Frank N. C. Kirk, labor	\$7 25
Feb.	13,	Geo. A. Emerson, treasurer, lights	25 06
		S. P. Kirk, janitor	120 51
		M. W. White, water rent	3 00
			\$257 91

TOWN OFFICERS

1905 :

May	27,	Chas. E. Davis, ballot clerk	\$2 00
July	29,	W. C. Cox, ballot clerk	2 00
		H. B. Haseltine, special police	9 00
Nov.	25,	W. S. H. Remick, supervisor	8 00
Dec.	30,	Wm. C. White, auditor	2 00

1906 :

Jan.	27,	D. M. Calley, town clerk	60 00
		“ board of health	15 00
		J. N. Dickinson, ballot clerk	2 00
Feb.	13,	C. A. Smith, board of health	17 00
		“ supervisor	8 00
	14,	Chas. W. Fling, board of health	15 00
		Herbert Braley, police	150 00
		Ira A. Chase, moderator	20 00
		C. H. Dickinson, treasurer	40 00
	15,	C. Boardman, tax collector	150 00
		J. W. Saunders, selectman	150 00
		H. T. Heath, “	140 00
		Chas. W. Wells, “	70 00
			\$860 00

D. H. SLEEPER CHURCH FUND

1905 : Paid :

Nov. 14,	Bristol Savings Bank	\$1,302 00
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BOND ACCOUNT

1906 : Paid :

Jan. 10,	First National Bank, bonds and interest	\$2,503 67
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TOWN AID

1905 : Paid :

Mar. 18,	S. N. Colby	\$10 00
Apr. 29,	"	12 00
June 24,	"	12 00
Aug. 26,	"	13 50
Sept. 23,	"	6 00
Oct. 28,	"	7 50
Nov. 25,	"	6 00
Dec. 30,	"	7 50

1906 :

Jan. 27,	"	6 00
Feb. 14,	"	6 00
		\$86 50

E. M. EASTMAN

1905 : Paid :

Dec. 30,	E. M. Eastman	\$5 00
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1906 :

10,	"	6 00
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Jan.	27, E. M. Eastman,	\$6 00
Feb.	24, " "	9 00
		\$26 00

COUNTY AID

MARY I. NUTTING

Apr.	29, A. E. Smith, board	19 50
May	27, H. T. Heath, conveying to County farm	8 25
		\$27 75

DAVID BARRETT

1905: Paid:

June	24, Ira A. Chase, Coolidge case	\$45 43
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WOODS CHILDREN

1905:

Aug.	11, J. W. Saunders, conveying one to Orphans' Home	\$1 00
Sept.	18, J. W. Saunders, conveying one to Orphans' Home	1 50
		\$2 50

JOHN FLEURY

1905: Paid:

Aug.	26, Mary Hill, care of Mrs. Fleury	\$45 00
Sept.	23, John Fleury, care of children	16 00
Oct.	28, " "	22 00
	Geo. A. Robie, funeral expenses	12 00

1906 :

Feb. 14,	Frank Fleury, board of children	\$8 00
		\$103 00

HENRY TEFO

1905 : Paid :

Oct. 28,	Geo. A. Robie, funeral expenses	\$23 00
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FRED W. SIMONDS

1905 : Paid :

Dec. 30,	Care of Hannah Simonds	\$10 00
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1906 :

Jan. 27,	" "	20 00
Feb. 14,	" "	15 00
		\$45 00

A. H. TWOMBLY, DEPENDENT SOLDIER

1905 :

Nov. 25,	A. H. Twombly	\$4 50
Dec. 30,	" "	7 50

1906 :

Jan. 27,	" "	6 00
		\$18 00

ELIZA GETCHELL, SOLDIER'S WIDOW

1905 : Paid :

Apr. 29,	Weymouth & Field, wood	\$11 15
Nov. 25,	Wm. F. Hanaford, house rent	6 00
Dec. 30,	Weymouth & Field, wood	12 25

1906 :

Jan. 27,	W. F. Hanaford, house rent	4 00
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Feb.	15,	Weymouth & Field, wood	\$8 43
			\$41 83

UNION DISTRICT SCHOOL MONEY

1905: Paid:			
June	9,	Albro Wells, treasurer	\$250 00
Sept.	11,	" "	200 00
Oct.	4,	" "	250 00
Nov.	6,	" "	250 00
	29,	" "	700 00
Dec.	14,	" "	1,000 00
1906:			
Feb.	15,	" "	1,203 78
			\$3,853 78

UNION DISTRICT SUPPLIES

1905: Paid:			
Dec.	14,	Albro Wells, treasurer	157 65
1906:			
Feb.	15,	" "	18 96
			\$176 61

TOWN DISTRICT SCHOOL MONEY

1905:			
June	24,	H. T. Heath, treasurer	\$350 00
July	29,	" "	50 00

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Sept. 23,	H. T. Heath, treasurer	\$50 00
Nov. 2,	" "	50 00
25,	" "	350 00
1906 :		
Jan. 27,	" "	121 41
		\$971 41

TOWN DISTRICT SUPPLIES

1905 :		
Dec. 16,	H. T. Heath, treasurer	\$72 68
1906 :		
Feb. 13,	" "	7 82
		\$80 50

PRECINCT

1905 :		
May 27,	E. S. Bickford, treasurer	\$350 00
Oct. 28,	" "	400 00
Dec. 30,	" "	300 00
		\$1,050 00

NOTES AND INTEREST

1905 : Paid :		
July 1,	First Nat. Bank, interest on bonds	\$225 00
Dec. 1,	" " note and interest	1,517 79
30,	" " interest on bonds	225 00

1906 :

Feb. 13,	First Nat. Bank, interest on notes	\$175 00
		\$2,142 79

SINKING FUND

1905 : Paid :

Dec. 14,	Bristol Savings Bank	\$750 00
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PRIVATE ROADS

1905. Paid :

Oct. 28,	W. E. Lowell, Quimby road	\$3 00
Dec. 30,	F. W. Quimby	4 77

1906 :

Jan. 27,	S. H. Cross, Carr road	3 00
	Z. E. Tilton, for 1904 and 1905	44 25
Feb. 14,	J. A. Favor, Locke road	9 65
	A. H. Worthley	4 50
		\$69 17

SIDEWALKS

1905 :

Oct. 6,	L. M. Pike & Son, concrete	\$900 00
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LOBBY

1905 :

May 20,	F. W. Simonds, labor	\$6 25
	Geo. A. Robie, mattresses	5 25

May 20,	Emmons & Dolloff, labor	\$5 57
June 24,	Weymouth & Field, supplies	7 00
Sept. 23,	Geo. F. Buttrick, labor	2 00
Dec. 14,	B. L. & A. Wells, labor and lumber	61 24
		87 31

ABATEMENTS

For 1904	Pearson, Geo. W., sick	\$1 07
	Breck, Ned M., paid in Rumney	2 13
	Hopkins, E. M., " New Hampton	2 13
	Kendell, Leston, " Groton	2 13
	Lord, C. L., left town	2 13
	Pearse, W. D., "	2 13
	Palmer, Chas., "	2 13
	Tim Moy, "	2 13
	Williams, A. J., left town	2 13
For 1905	Ballou, Fred J., sick	2 07
	Annis, Ernest, paid in Danbury	2 18
	Breck, J. T., " Groton	2 18
	Gordon, Roy, left town	2 18
	Hill, Edgar, paid in Alexandria	2 18
	Leighton, Fred, not 21	2 18
	Northrup, S. B., left town	2 18
	Simonds, Hannah, sick	10 90
	Saunders, L. E., not 21	2 18
	Taylor, Roy, left town	2 18
	Tylor, Geo., paid in Massachusetts	2 18
	Stewart, Howard, not 21	2 18
	Dow, Chas. G., sick	2 07
	Fling, Lewis S., paid in Maine	2 18
	George, C. A., over-tax	3 10
		\$60 23

Bristol, N. H., Feb. 20, 1906

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the selectmen of Bristol for the year ending Feb. 15, 1906, and find the same correct to our best knowledge and belief.

WILLIAM C. WHITE, }
JOHN R. CONNOR, } Auditors.

RECOMMENDATION

The selectmen would recommend that the town raise two thousand dollars to defray town charges. They would also recommend that the sum of one-half of one per cent. be raised for highways and bridges and that one thousand dollars be raised for State Road.

J. W. SAUNDERS, }
H. T. HEATH, } Selectmen
CHAS. W. WELLS, } of
Bristol.

Statement of State Road

Cr.

Will Gordon, for 1,500 ft. of macadam	
road at 99c ft.	\$1,485 00
Extra work	12 00
Crushed stone left over	63 00
	\$1,560 00

Dr.

Will Gordon, cash	\$1,349 00
" use of crusher	120 00
" " roller	91 00
	\$1,560 00

Town portion of joint fund laid over	
for 1906	\$87 69
State portion of joint fund laid over	
for 1906	35 03
	\$122 72

J. W. SAUNDERS, } Selectmen
H. T. HEATH, } of
CHAS. W. WELLS, } Bristol.

Road Agent's Report

Old bills paid on W. H. Dicey's account :

B. L. & A. Wells, as per bill	\$3 37
Sam'l C. Hentall, "	1 50
D. H. Sleeper, "	5 00
Fred C. Muzzey, "	4 50
S. H. Cross, "	21 45
J. W. Wibber & Co., "	5 25
Freeman Corno, "	15 35
Levi B. Heath, "	9 08
A. L. H. Hannaford, "	1 55
D. Y. Emmons, "	5 85
H. B. Hazeltine, "	18 00
C. A. George, "	16 50
Earl Sanborn, "	75
J. B. Paddleford, "	17 10
M. B. Patten, "	16 95
A. B. Gale, "	1 58
W. H. Dicey, "	37 00
Levi J. Nelson, "	8 55
B. L. Adams, "	42 00
Frank Fleury, "	6 00
Frank Fleury, "	11 60
Calley & Currier, "	9 63
I. A. Dickinson, "	11 38
Chas. Keyser, "	8 60
Frank R. Sanders, "	22 42
L. B. Mitchell, "	28 00

Chas. Gray,	as per bill	\$1 75
Joseph Pearson,	"	75
W. G. Robbins,	"	1 50
J. E. Mitchell,	"	3 97
Cavis Bros.,	"	16 72
A. B. Black,	"	65 00
Joseph Gremore,	"	5 52
W. S. H. Remick,	"	4 65
A. G. Roby,	"	2 25
L. F. Pattee,	"	75
Chas. Gray,	"	1 75
Oscar Gray,	"	1 50
E. T. Hutchins,	"	3 60
Alfred Goodhue,	"	10 30
M. H. Moshier,	"	1 50
A. H. Heath,	"	3 00
F. N. Kirk,	"	1 50
C. H. Lenaghan,	"	1 02
Bristol Paper Co.,	"	9 75
A. S. Goodnough,	"	2 00
Alvin Goodhue,	"	6 12
		\$473 79

A. H. Towus, Road Agent from Mar. 14, 1905, to Feb. 15, 1906

March	Chas. Gray, as per bill	\$2 70
	Oscar Gray, "	2 70
	A. C. Pike, "	1 20
	Alfred Dow, "	2 60
	Roy C. Haynes, 4 days on road	6 00
	F. P. Haley, as per bill 5 1-2 days	8 25
	Henry Decato, 5 days per bill	7 50

March	Henry Towns, 5 1-2 days per bill	\$8 25
	A. H. Towns, 15 1-2 days agent per bill	31 00
	A. H. Towns, team 2 days	7 00
	A. B. Gale, as per bill	8 10
April	Henry Decato, 10 1-2 days	15 75
	Orrin D. Moody, 2 1-2 days	3 75
	I. W. Weeks, 7 1-2 days	11 50
	Henry Decato, 4 days	6 00
	Alfred Goodhue, 5 days	7 50
	John Haley, 2 days	3 00
	A. H. Towns, agent 18 days	36 00
	“ team	22 75
	A. B. Gale, as per bill	4 05
	F. P. Haley, 13 1-2 days on road	20 25
May	Henry Decato, 7 1-2 days	11 25
	A. H. Gray, 16 days	24 00
	A. H. Towns, 12 1-2 days with team	43 75
	S. N. Colby, 2 days, 3 hours	3 45
	F. N. Kirk, 5 days	7 50
	A. H. Gray, 6 days	9 00
	R. B. Annis, 11 1-2 days	17 25
	A. H. Towns, 23 days as agent	46 00
	F. P. Haley, 16 days	24 00
	G. E. Jesseman, 13 3-4 days on road machine	27 50
	H. Livingston, 15 days	22 50
	S. H. Cross, as per bill	30 75
	Cavis Bros., “	18 02
	Weymouth & Field	7 28
	Express on road machine knife	60
	“ castings	1 22
	Boston & M. R. R.	40
	“	3 75

May	B. J. Adams, 3 days on the road	\$4 50
	Ira Burpee, as per bill	4 70
	M. B. Patten, "	5 55
	E. T. Hutchins	8 48
	J. B. Paddleford, as per bill	6 40
	H. C. Whipple, "	75
	Concord Foundry Co.	6 75
	M. E. Southard	3 70
	Climax Road Machine Co.	8 50
	L. A. Woodman	6 00
	S. H. Cross	25 55
	A. F. Kate	2 25
	H. H. Pattee	5 81
	H. J. Livingston, 15 1-2 days	23 25
	Freeman Corno, 10 days with team	35 00
	J. W. Weeks, 7 days	10 50
	John Haley, 5 1-2 days	8 25
	Alfred Goodhue, 5 days	7 50
	G. W. Cheney, 3 days on bridge	6 00
	Leon Varney, 6 days at crusher	12 00
	Oscar Gray, 4 3-4 days	7 28
	H. J. Livingston, 16 1-2 days	24 75
	J. W. Weeks, 7 days, 2 hours	10 80
	A. H. Gray, 8 days	12 00
	R. B. Annis, 13 days	20 25
	Everett Pray, 2 1-2 days	3 37
	Arthur O'Leary, 4 hours	60
	J. W. Weeks, 5 days	7 50
	Harry Blanchard, 6 1-2 days	10 25
	G. W. Cheney, labor on railing	4 60
	F. L. King, on railing	7 25
	A. H. Gray, 3 1-2 days	5 25
	H. J. Livingston, 10 1-2 days	15 75

May	R. C. Haynes, 2 days	\$3 00
	Bert Jesseman, 20 days on road with team	70 00
	A. H. Heath, labor with team	23 50
	Leon Varney, 5 days crusher	10 00
June	Harry Blanchard, 3 days, 4 hours	5 10
	S. N. Colby, labor on walks	3 38
	“ “	2 08
	C. R. Keyser, 2 1-2 days with team	8 25
	A. H. Towns, agent June and July 30 days	60 00
	A. H. Towns, June and July 14 days with team	49 00
July	Harry Blanchard, 3 days, 2 hours	4 80
	F. B. Haley, 20 days	30 00
	H. J. Livingston, 2 days	3 00
	F. L. King, 6 days	9 00
	Oscar Gray, 3 1-2 days	5 25
	John W. Wells, 2 1-2 days	3 75
	T. H. Daniels, as per bill	19 25
	Jos. Decato, “	3 70
	C. N. Merrill & Son, on account	400 00
	I. A. Dickinson, as per bill	3 32
	N. L. Sinclair	60
	H. J. Blanchard	3 98
August	S. N. Colby	10 88
	Harry Blanchard, 3 days	4 50
	Chas. R. Quimby, 1 day	1 50
	A. B. Gale, labor on road	3 60
	E. T. Sanborn, labor on road	3 00
	Harry Blanchard, work at crusher	10 50
	F. L. King, work at crusher	10 00
	George E. Jesseman, on road machine	43 00

August	A. H. Gray, 12 days on road	\$18 00
	L. A. Woodman, labor on road	8 63
	Harry Blanchard, 5 days at crusher	10 00
	“ 4 1-2 days on road	6 75
	L. Haley, 12 days on road	15 75
	A. H. Gray, labor on road	6 50
	R. B. Annis, “	17 65
	J. W. Weeks, 7 days, 3 hours	10 95
	H. J. Livingston, labor on road	21 75
	F. P. Haley, 19 1-4 days on road	29 00
	Harry Blanchard, labor on road	2 25
	John Decato, 1 day on road	1 50
	A. H. Towns, 21 days agent	42 00
	“ 17 days, team	59 50
	R. W. Musgrove, as per bill	75
	I. M. Clark “	4 75
	Kidder Machine Co., as per bill	1 19
	S. N. Colby, “	6 80
	Dickinson & Blake, “	64 61
Sept.	James Pattee, 2 days	3 00
	A. H. Gray, 5 1-4 days	7 88
	L. A. Woodman, 1 day	1 50
	W. G. Robbins, stone, 31 1-2 tons	11 03
	A. B. Gale, 1 day	1 50
	F. L. King, labor on road	15 45
	A. H. Gray, “	12 00
	A. H. Towns, 23 days	46 00
	“ 13 days, team	45 00
	F. L. King, 1 3-4 days	3 50
	Harry Blanchard, labor	5 63
	G. B. Simmons, 1 day	1 50
	J. W. Weeks, labor	18 50
	Bert Jesseman, labor with team	85 00

Sept.	B. J. Adams, as per bill	\$24 15
	M. B. Pray, "	8 20
	S. N. Colby, "	12 83
	W. F. Adams, "	13 33
	H. H. Pattee, "	20 25
	S. S. Quint, "	2 00
Oct.	F. P. Haley, 13 1-4 days	20 00
	S. N. Colby, as per bill	12 27
	C. W. Holmes, as per bill	4 35
	Ira Burpee, "	9 30
	B. E. Blackstone, as per bill	9 00
Nov.	I. M. Clark, "	3 55
	W. G. Robie, "	2 25
	J. Hadlock, "	10 00
	B. J. Adams, "	5 65
Dec.	Freeman Corno, Jr., 4 days	6 00
	C. Boardman, stone	3 50
	A. A. Adams, 2 days	3 00
	George Adams, labor	2 55
	John Doyle, "	6 00
	R. B. Annis, "	11 85
	C. A. Smith, on account	50 00
	F. P. Haley, labor	12 75
	H. J. Blanchard, labor	14 88
	John Doyle, "	4 50
	H. B. Hazeltine, "	1 50
	C. N. Merrill & Son, on account	400 00
	W. D. Chandler, 4 days, crusher	6 00
	F. P. Haley, labor	10 00
	A. H. Towns, 5 days agent	10 00
	J. W. Burley, as per bill	3 15
	S. N. Colby, "	5 25
	A. B. Black, "	21 15

Dec.	J. D. Gremore, as per bill	\$2 25
	B. J. Adams	8 25
	F. C. Muzzey	1 95
	Henry J. Adams	4 05
	B. J. Adams	6 00
Jan.	J. B. Paddleford, as per bill	20 40
	B. C. Gray, “	1 80
	J. B. Mitchell, “	10 50
	James Pattee, “	60
	W. S. H. Remick, “	10 20
	Bristol Paper Co., “	11 49
	“ Aqueduct Co., as per bill	7 75
	L. F. Pattee, “	11 50
	F. D. Dolloff, “	3 00
	Weymouth & Field, “	11 74
	B. L. & A. Wells “	2 85
	E. T. Hutchins, “	47 50
	Cavis Bros., “	19 80
	C. N. Merrill & Son, “	75 00
	“ “ “	47 39
	F. D. Dolloff, stone	6 65
	Alfred Goodhue, 257, 160 lb. stone	43 25
	“ 4 1-2 days on road	6 75
	C. Boardman	6 00
	Joe Adams, 17 hours on road	2 55
	H. B. Hazeltine, 3 days and 8 hours	5 70
	R. B. Annis, labor on road	1 95
	A. H. Towns, team	8 75
	“ 5 days agent	10 00
	L. A. Woodman, as per bill	5 32
Feb.	I. M. Clark, as per bill	20 43
	I. A. Dickinson, as per bill	11 20
	J. P. Charron, “	16 05

Feb.	L. A. Woodman, as per bill	\$14 75
	“ “	3 15
	I. M. Clark, “	2 90
	R. W. Musgrove, “	75
	E. Wicom, “	8 40
	A. E. Smith, “	2 00
	W. F. Adams, “	2 70
	E. A. Blake, “	26 80
	Jos. Decato, “	2 70
	Alvin Goodhue, “	7 43
	Frank R. Sanders, “	9 85
	B. J. Adams, “	4 35
	F. P. Kenny, “	5 75
	C. A. Smith, balance on bill	60 53
	Emmons & Dolloff, as per bill	1 91
	W. B. Emmons, “	2 00
	A. H. Towns, driving horse	50 00
	“ team 3 days	10 50
	“ 5 days agent	10 00
	Oscar R. Gray, as per bill	2 25
	J. B. Mitchell, “	2 00
	J. B. Paddleford, “	9 90
	“ “	5 00
	H. B. Worthen, “	4 56
	F. P. Haley, “	8 38
	C. R. Keyzer, “	8 85
	Z. E. Tilton, “	7 00

Total amount paid out, W. H. Dickey's account	\$473 79
“ A. H. Towns' account	3,699 46
	\$4,173 25

Received from town	\$4,175 00
Received for crushed stone and lumber	15 75
Amount in agent's hands Feb. 15, 1906	17 50

LIST OF TOOLS ON HAND FEB. 15, 1906

1 stone crusher	1 boiler and engine
1 snow roller	1 sidewalk roller
1 steam roller	1 set scales
1 tool chest	3 sidewalk scrapers
2 chains	3 bush scythes
2 breaking hammers	1 paving hammer
2 ice chisels	6 shovels
5 picks	1 powder can
1 tamping bar	2 road machines

Crushed stones on hand Feb. 15, 1906, 300 tons	
at 75 cents	\$225 00
5 M lumber at \$14	70 00
	\$295 00

Respectfully submitted,

A. H. TOWNS, Road Agent.

Union School District No. 2

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Citizens and Parents Residing in Union School District:

As another school year is nearing its close, a brief report from the school board relative to the condition of the schools of the district is in order.

At the end of the present term, the sessions of the year will have occupied thirty-six weeks. With one exception, the same corps of excellent teachers as last year has been employed. During the present term, Miss Parker was compelled to seek rest and recreation for the remainder of the term, and the Board was so fortunate as to secure Miss Grace B. Knowlton from the Concord (N. H.) Training School in her place. By reason of the mild and almost snowless winter the attendance in all grades has been above the average.

As microbes and bacilli seem to be in a quiescent mood, no epidemic has prevailed and the health of the pupils as a whole has been excellent. Discipline has been well maintained and educational progress made.

Miss Bunton in the first grade, Misses Parker and Knowlton in the 2nd and 3rd, Miss Ingalls in the 4th and 5th, Miss Jebb in the 6th and 7th, Miss Calley in the 8th 9th, and as Principal Miss Emery in the High school and as supervisor of drawing in all grades have been patient, painstaking, assiduous and successful in their efforts to

instruct and encourage the pupils in the training of their minds in the pursuit of knowledge, and in the maintenance of an excellent standard of thought and action. Physical culture has been continued in all grades. The High school has been approved by the state superintendent for a two years' course, and too much praise cannot be bestowed upon the excellence of the work carried on in this department.

Although the number of pupils therein is small, the opportunity for study and improvement is correspondingly greater, and those to whom it is permitted would do well to avail themselves of this opportunity, rather than hasten away to other schools offering no greater advantages. There is also a tendency on the part of some misguided youth who are capable of better things to seek manual labor rather than devote the time to the course afforded in the higher grades of our school.

Such persons make a very great mistake as the time conscientiously devoted to study and discipline of the mind for a few years is of such great value as a permanent investment, as not to be compared with mere wages during that time.

If our good people would visit the schools more often, they would encourage both teachers and pupils, and would be the better able to judge how well the former are standing *in loco parentis*, and probably to make valuable suggestions to the Board.

The public schools are a mighty bulwark of our Republic and it is the duty of all loyal citizens to take a deep interest in them and give them cordial and hearty support. Do not forget to attend the annual school meeting. The school-yard might be very much beautified and improved, if the sand could be covered with loam and

seeded. A few more trees would also be an improvement. This idea ought not to be overlooked on Arbor Day. The present members of the Board are Mr. F. N. Gilman, chairman; Mr. Albro Wells, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. Lena C. Bishop, Miss Mary E. Tilton, Mr. Roswell Cutler and Ira A. Chase.

Respectfully submitted,
For the Board of Education.

IRA A. CHASE, Supt.

Statistical Table

Name of School	Name of Teacher	No. of Pupils.	No. of Term.	No. of Weeks.	No. in Reading and Spelling	No. in Penmanship	No. in Arithmetic	No. in Language	No. in Grammar	No. in Geography	No. in History	No. in Physiology	No. in Algebra	Geometry	Latin	Ancient History	Musie and Drawing	Wages, per week
High.....	Abbie J. Emery.....	10	1	10	..	..	..	10	10	..	..	..	5	5	0	5	38	9 50
		14	2	14	..	..	..	10	10	..	..	..	5	5	0	5	38	9 50
		9	3	12	..	..	..	9	9	..	..	..	0	4	0	5	38	9 50
Grade 8 & 9 E. Belle Calley.....		19	1	10	19	19	19	19	19	17	17	17	0	..	..	..	36	12 00
		23	2	14	26	26	26	26	26	17	17	17	9	..	..	..	36	12 00
Grade 6 & 7 Bernice F. Jebb.....		26	3	12	26	26	26	26	26	17	17	17	0	..	..	..	36	12 00
		30	1	10	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	..	..	..	..	36	12 00
		34	2	14	34	34	34	34	34	34	34	34	..	..	..	..	36	12 00
Grade 4 & 5 Clara M. Ingalls.....		33	3	12	33	33	33	33	33	33	33	33	..	..	..	..	36	9 50
		34	1	10	33	33	33	33	33	33	33	33	..	..	..	..	36	9 50
		38	2	14	28	28	28	28	28	28	28	28	..	..	..	..	36	9 50
Grade 2 & 3 Maude L. Parker.....		28	3	12	28	28	28	28	28	28	28	28	..	..	..	..	36	9 50
		31	1	10	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	..	..	..	..	36	9 50
		33	2	14	33	33	33	33	33	33	33	33	..	..	..	..	36	9 50
Grade 2 & 4 Grace B. Knowlton.....		30	3	12	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	..	..	..	..	36	9 50
		42	1	10	37	37	37	37	37	37	37	37	..	..	..	..	36	9 50
		38	2	14	38	38	38	38	38	38	38	38	..	..	..	..	36	9 50
Grade 1 ... Nellie Bunton.....		35	3	12	31	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	..	..	..	..	36	9 50
		51	6	18	51	51	51	51	51	51	51	51	..	..	..	..	51	15 00

Treasurer's Report

UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 2 FOR THE YEAR ENDING
FEB. 15, 1906.

1905 :

Received as follows :

Feb. 15,	In treasury at last report	\$1,014 41
June 9,	From town of Bristol school money	\$250 00
Sept. 11,	From town of Bristol school money	200 00
Oct. 4,	From town of Bristol school money	250 00
Nov. 2,	From town of Bristol school money	250 00
Nov. 29,	From town of Bristol school money	700 00
Dec. 14,	From town of Bristol school money	1,000 00

1906 :

Feb. 15,	From town of Bristol school money	889 98
	From town of Bristol for books and supplies '05	39 80
	From town of Bristol for books and supplies '06	136 81
	From town of Bristol for literary fund	101 20

Feb. 15,	From town of Bristol for		
	dog license	\$149	00
	From state of N. H., by		
	hands of town, tuitions	63	60
	From Miss Calley, book sold	3	51
	" Herman Clay, tuitions	12	00
	" town of Sanbornton	27	00
	" sale of old iron	1	25
			\$4,074 15
			\$5,088 56

PAID FOR INSTRUCTION AS FOLLOWS

Josephine Emery, 36 weeks	\$15 00		\$540 00
E. Belle Calley, 12 4-10 weeks	\$13 50	\$167 40	
" 20	" 12 00	240 00	
			407 40
Alice Noonan, 3 6-10	" 13 50		48 60
Bernice F. Jebb, 16	" 9 00	144 00	
" 20	" 9 50	190 00	
			334 00
Clara M. Ingalls, 36	" 9 50		342 00
Maude L. Parker, 32 4-10	" 9 50		307 80
Grace B. Knowlton, 3 6-10 weeks	9 50		34 20
Nellie A. Bunton, 16	" 9 00	144 00	
" 20	" 9 50	190 00	
			334 00
			\$2,348 00

PAID FOR TUITIONS AS FOLLOWS

Concord High school, Vena M. Hoyt	\$19 99	
Tilton Seminary, L. D. Ackerman	13 34	
“ Raymond Cutler	13 34	
“ John O. Lovejoy	40 00	
“ Harry D. Wells	26 66	
“ Eva M. Fling	26 66	
“ Caroline P. Fowler	26 66	
“ Maud A. Robinson	26 66	
“ Mary B. Wells	26 66	
		\$219 97

PAID FOR FREE TEXT BOOKS

American Book Co.	\$32 49	
Educational Publishing Co.	7 35	
Edward E. Babb & Co.	8 35	
Rumford Printing Co.	2 75	
Express	50	
		\$51 44

PAID FOR SUPPLIES

J. L. Hammett Co.	\$60 63	
R. W. Musgrove	35	
Mason-Perkins Paper Co.	11 40	
Wadsworth, Howland & Co.	1 01	
Weymouth & Field	3 60	
Fowler & Co.	6 85	
Freight and express	1 53	
		\$85 37

PAID FOR REPAIRS

Weymouth & Field	\$24 45	
Cavis Bros.	5 65	
C. N. Merrill & Son, shingles, cement	56 90	
Emmons & Dolloff, labor	1 25	
Brown & Goodwin, labor and stock	9 05	
F. W. Simonds, labor	40 15	
B. L. & A. Wells, labor and lumber	87 08	
Chas. E. Locke, labor	25 00	
M. O. Edgerly	2 00	
		\$251 53

PAID MISCELLANEOUS BILLS

Weymouth & Field	\$13 91	
R. W. Musgrove	12 75	
N. L. Sinclair	4 27	
H. B. Hazeltine, labor	3 00	
Geo. D. Maclinn, sawing wood	8 94	
Frank N. C. Kirk, labor	1 50	
E. M. Eastman, splicing rope	25	
Geo. A. Robie	2 70	
A. C. Phipps	75	
Wm. George	6 25	
Fred C. Muzzey, cleaning schoolhouse	12 45	
Mrs. Geo. Seaward, "	11 02	
Calvin Martin, work	7 50	
Bristol Aqueduct Co., water	16 00	
Ira A. Chase, superintendent	40 00	
Albro Wells, treasurer of district	20 00	
		\$161 29

PAID FOR FUEL AND CARE OF BUILDING

Alfred Goodhue, wood	\$2 00	
C. A. Smith, wood	46 00	
F. P. Fields, coal	210 90	
A. H. Towns, drawing coal	13 18	
C. N. Merrill, coal 1902	25 36	
Geo. D. Maclinn, janitor 16 weeks	96 00	
Calvin Martin, janitor 20 weeks	120 00	
		\$513 44
		\$3,631 04

1905 :

Feb. 15, Reported due from Silver,
Burdett & Co. \$8 48

1906 :

Jan. 27, Received of Silver Burdett,
& Co., supplies \$8 48

		\$8 48
	\$8 48	\$8 48

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

Total receipts for the year		\$5,088 56
Paid instruction	\$2,348 00	
" tuitions	219 97	
" text books	51 44	
" supplies	85 37	
" fuel and care of building	513 44	
" repairs	251 53	
" miscellaneous bills	161 27	
		\$3,631 04
1906 :		
Feb. 15, In hands of treasurer		\$1,457 52

Due from town of New Hampton	\$19 50
“ Sanbornton	9 00
Balance in favor of district Feb. 15, 1906	\$1,486 02
“ “ 15, 1905	1,062 69
Increase of balance	\$423 33

Respectfully submitted,

ALBRO WELLS, Treasurer.

This is to certify that I have this day examined the accounts of the treasurer of Union District, No. 2, and find them correct to my best knowledge and belief.

CHANNING BISHOP, Auditor.

Feb. 22, 1906.

Report of School Board

On account of the amount of tuitions to pay, we did not have but twenty-four weeks of school. For our various schools in town we believe we secured competent teachers. But we fear that some of the children did not receive the support at home that should have been given them for their good and for the school and town.

The idea of keeping a pupil at home occasionally a day or a part of a day at a time to help do some particular work is something parents have no right to do. It is an injustice to pupil, school, teacher and taxpayer. It ought to be stopped, except in unavoidable circumstances. Not enough interest is taken by all in regard to visiting the different schools. A goodly number of visitors gives teacher and pupils enthusiasm, dignity and pride.

We have done considerable of the much needed repairs on school houses, and suggest that more money be raised for further repairs.

Respectfully submitted,

HADLEY B. WORTHEN,	}	School Board.
H. T. HEATH,		
CLARENCE E. JEWELL,		

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

District No. 1. Fall term—Harold James Kenney.
District No. 1. Spring term—Harold James Kenney, Lula Ballou, Pearlie Ballou, Alice Day, Emma E. Kenney.

ct No. 3. Spring term—Frank Neil Dolloff.

District No. 5. Fall term—Mary E. Heath. District No. 5. Spring term—Richard Dow.

District No. 8. Fall term—Ruth May Smith, Maud Bailey Reed, Ethel Dewey Reed, Grace L. Rice, Eva May Reid, Dora Maud Reid, Ernest Jewell, Walter Bartlett Jewell, Frank Rice. Spring term—Ruth May Smith, Maud B. Reed, Ethel D. Reed, Eva M. Reid, Dora M. Reid, Grace L. Rice, Nellie M. Sawyer, Ernest Jewell, Elmer C. Plankey, Dwane E. Blackstone, Roy M. Woodward, Frank Rice.

District No. 9. Spring term—Richard H. Wells, Raymond E. Mitchell.

Statistical Table.

No. of District	No. of term	Name of Teacher	No. of weeks	No. of scholars	No. in Reading	No. in Spelling	No. in Penmanship	No. in Arithmetic	No. in Geography	No. in Grammar	No. in History	No. in Composition	No. in Vocal Music	No. in Physiology	No. in Bookkeeping	No. in Algebra	No. in Physical Geography	Wages per month
1	1	Florence G. Goodell.....	12	9	9	8	8	7	6	4	4	2	..	4	..	..	..	\$24 00
2	2	Katherine R. Hopkins....	12	11	8	9	8	9	7	5	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	"
3	1	E. Maria Emmons.....	12	16	16	14	14	13	10	10	5	12	16	..	1	..	..	24 00
4	2	"	12	11	11	11	11	9	9	7	7	7	11	..	..	..	..	"
5	1	Bertha S. Watts.....	7	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	..	1	..	..	..	24 00
6	2	M. Eva Rand.....	12	6	6	6	6	6	5	4	4	6	..	4	..	..	..	"
7	1	M. Eva Rand.....	12	16	16	16	16	16	7	6	4	..	..	16	..	2	2	26 00
8	2	Lena E. Tinkham	11	17	17	17	17	14	11	4	4	..	..	8	..	..	..	"
9	1	Anna M. Hopkins.....	11	6	6	5	6	6	5	5	5	..	6	5	..	..	..	22 00

School Treasurer's Report

OF TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

1905 :

Feb.	15,	In hands of treasurer at last report	\$156 75
June	26,	Received from town of Bristol, school money	350 00
July	29,	Received from town of Bristol, school money	50 00
Sept.	23,	Received from town of Bristol, school money	50 00
Nov.	2,	Received from town of Bristol, school money	50 00
	25,	Received from town of Bristol, school money	350 00

1906 :

Jan.	27,	Received from town of Bristol, school money, including dog tax and library fund and rebate on tuitions	121 41
Feb.	13,	Received from town of Bristol, for books and supplies	80 50
			\$1,208 66

PAID FOR INSTRUCTION

Kate R. Hopkins,	District No. 1,	Spring term	\$72 00
E. Maria Emmons,	" 6,	"	72 00
Lena E. Tinkham,	" 8,	"	66 00

Anna M. Hopkins, District No. 9, Spring term		\$60 50
Eva Rand,	" 5, "	72 00
Kate H. Bacon,	" 1, Fall term	72 00
Anna M. Hopkins,	" 9, "	72 00
Mabel Curtice,	" 8, "	80 60
Eva Rand,	" 5, "	72 00
Chas. S. Leavitt,	" 6, "	96 00
		\$735 10

TUITIONS

Paid :

Laconia Public School, Annie Sanders, 2 terms	\$22 00
New Hampton Inst., Mary E. Heath, 3 "	36 00
" Sadie B. Kimball, 2 "	24 00
" Orea P. Nelson, 3 "	38 00
" Cora A. Sanders, 2 1-2 terms	33 00
" Ernest Jewell, 2 terms	28 00
" Walter J. Sanders, 1 "	12 00
\$193 00	

REPAIRS

Paid :

John K. Dow, labor	\$7 75
W. S. H. Remick, labor	13 69
Walter Jewell, labor	1 00
Brown & Goodwin, stove pipe	60
B. L. & A. Wells, lumber	1 50
J. B. Greemore, labor	2 90
C. N. Merrill & Son, shingles	39 04
H. B. Worthen, cash paid out	16 00

J. B. Greemore, labor	\$3 00
	\$85 48

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES

Paid :	
Ella O'Leary, cleaning schoolhouse	\$2 62
Leo Plankey, "	1 50
Mrs. Freeman Corno, "	2 00
Walter Jewell, care of schoolhouse	1 50
John Favor, team	50
O. B. Ray, labor	1 00
H. E. Wells, wood	6 00
C. A. Smith, "	7 00
A. E. Smith, conveying girl to school	9 50
J. E. Mitchell, "	11 00
Sam Reed, labor	50
D. H. Hall, flag-staff	1 50
Everett Wicom, wood	4 35
	\$48 97

SCHOOL SUPPLIES

American Book Co.	\$25 56
Gault & Spaulding	7 50
C. E. Jewell, supplies	75
Frank Morrill	8 00
Weymouth & Field	6 84
Edson C. Eastman	1 13
Bristol Paper Co.	2 10
Cavis Bros.	14 95

F. W. Sanborn	\$4 75
Fowler & Co.	1 10
American Book Co.	6 72
R. W. Musgrove	1 10
	\$80 50

FINANCIAL STANDING OF TOWN DISTRICT

Balance in favor of district 1905	\$156 75
Received by order of selectmen	905 97
rebate in tuitions	65 44
for supplies	80 50
	\$1,208 66
Paid for instruction	\$735 10
tuitions	193 00
repairs	85 48
miscellaneous expenses	48 97
supplies	80 50
	\$1,143 05
Balance in favor of district	\$65 61

Respectfully submitted,

H. T. HEATH, Treasurer.

This certifies that I have examined the accounts of the treasurer of the town school district and find them correct and proper vouchers for the same.

EVERETT WICOM, Auditor.

Feb. 21, 1906.

Minot-Sleeper Library

The Minot-Sleeper library continues to occupy a high position in the esteem of the public, as is evidenced by the liberal patronage it constantly receives. The Day-Jackman reading-room continues to be appreciated and well patronized, especially by the young for whom it was primarily intended. During the past year 2,227 persons have been readers at its tables. The following magazines are now found in this department: Century, Scribner's, Munsey, National, Granite Monthly, Everybody's, Harper's, Leslie's Cosmopolitan, Review of Reviews, The Burr McIntosh, World's Work, Country Life, New England, Popular Science, McClure's, Atlantic, North American Review, Outing, Outlook, Success, St. Nicholas, Youth's Companion; the whole making a long and choice list.

About 200 volumes have been placed on the shelves during the year, making a total of 6778 volumes. The number of books drawn by patrons during the year has been 7786.

It is becoming more and more apparent each year that something must be done in the near future to enlarge the capacity of the library. All available space has been utilized. The less used books have been stacked in the loft over the vestibule for want of room elsewhere. There has recently been placed in the main floor a new stack that will hold about 350 volumes, which affords temporary relief. This appears to be the last resort to obtain needed shelf space in this room and this will soon be exhausted.

The first of September Mrs. Grace Hammond tendered her resignation as librarian, being about to remove from town, and Mrs. Mary A. Dodge was employed by the executive committee to fill the vacancy till the annual meeting of the trustees this month when Mrs. Dodge was elected librarian for the ensuing year. Samuel M. Clark is janitor.

At the annual meeting the following officers was elected: Chairman of the board of trustees, R. W. Musgrove; secretary, Dr. Channing Bishop; treasurer, Dr. G. H. Calley; executive committee, Hon. Ira A. Chase, Geo. H. Calley and F. H. Ackerman.

Respectfully submitted,

R. W. MUSGROVE

GEO. H. CALLEY

D. B. WEYMOUTH

KARL M. CAVIS

FRED H. ACKERMAN

IRA A. CHASE

CHANNING BISHOP

CHAS. W. FLING

W. C. WHITE

Trustees.

Report of Firewards

OF BRISTOL FIRE PRECINCT FOR THE YEAR ENDING
FEB. 15, 1906

RECEIPTS

1905 :		
In hands of precinct Feb. 24, 1905		\$194 18
May 27, received of town treasurer		350 00
Oct. 28, " "		400 00
Dec. 30, " "		300 00
Jan. 23, hired of First National Bank		250 00
		\$1,494 18

EXPENDITURES

1905 :		
May 27, paid Aqueduct Co.		\$350 00
June 19, " Fred King, labor		2 00
17, " Frank Roby, labor fire alarm		12 00
Aug. 18, " " "		10 25
Sept. 4, " W. B. Emmons, labor		2 00
18, " Brown & Goodwin		25
30, " Young Bros. for ladders		9 52
Oct. 3, " John Paddleford, freight		41
4, " American Express		30

Oct.	16,	paid W. E. Decrone, battery supplies	\$5 50
	19,	" John Paddleford, freight	1 65
	19,	" Frank Robie, labor on fire alarm	28 00
Nov.	2,	" W. B. Emmons, labor on wires	9 00
	2,	" Improved Battery Co., electric supplies	6 75
	2,	" W. E. Decrone, electric supplies	62 18
	4,	" Geo. Currier, pay roll engine men	165 44
Oct.	30,	" American Express	30
	4,	" Fred King, labor on ladders	3 75
Nov.	15,	" Homer Hutchinson, pay roll	189 60
	30,	" Geo. A Emerson, electric supplies	26 61
1906:			
Jan.	1,	Paid Cavis Bros.	1 40
		" Frank Roby, labor on wires	7 75
		" R. W. Musgrove, printing	8 50
	5,	" B. L. & A. Wells, covers to resevoirs	75
		paid J. B. Paddleford, scraper	11 25
May	1,	B. & M. R. R., freight	50
	25,	Frank Roby, labor	5 75
		A. B. Gale, shoveling snow	3 83
Jan.	20,	paid C. A. Smith, work on hose carriage	6 10
	24,	" Bristol Aqueduct Co.	350 00
	25,	" A. G. Dolloff, fireward	25 00
	23,	" Ira B. Burpee "	25 00
		" E. S. Bickford, treasurer, fireward	35 00
	29,	" Cavis Bros., supplies	9 54
	30,	" A. B. Gale, shoveling snow	3 45
Feb.	5,	" J. B. Paddleford, cartage	1 90
			\$1,381 23

Feb. 6, paid Ira B. Burpee	\$3 00
Receipts paid out	\$1,384 23
Balance in favor of precinct	\$109 95
First National Bank note	\$250 00
Indebtedness of precinct Feb. 15, 1906	140 05

Respectfully submitted,

IRA B. BURPEE,	} Fireward of Bristol Fire Precinct.
A. G. DOLLOFF,	
E. S. BICKFORD,	

This is to certify that I have this day examined the accounts of the Bristol Fire Precinct and found them correctly kept with proper vouchers for all expenditures.

FRANCIS W. CALLEY, Auditor.

Bristol, N. H., Feb. 17, 1906.

Kelley Park Commission

The Board of Park Commissioners in making its first annual report would state that the funds and property given by the late Wm. G. Kelley for a public park have by order of court been turned into the town treasury as per itemized statement of the treasurer.

As the grounds of the Kelley Park were rough and uneven, it was thought wise to grade the same, and remove the old and scrubby trees, which was very efficiently done under the direction of Messrs. Fowler and Wells.

A grandstand has also been erected by the same committee and a bandstand located near by through the efforts of Mr. Joseph W. Ladd and the Bristol Cornet Band.

The grounds are now in excellent condition for athletic sports and lying adjacent to the school-yard are particularly of value as a play ground for the school children, who no longer can find excuse to use Central Square and the public streets for games and sports.

The expense of the improvements has thus far been about seven hundred dollars.

By the provisions of the will of Mr. Kelley, \$150 per year, not exceeding in all the sum of \$3000, is to be paid

out of these funds to his sister, Mrs. G. W. S. S. Gordon, during her life.

The present membership of the Board is as follows :

IRA A. CHASE, chairman
 GEO. B. CAVIS, secretary
 CHAS. BOARDMAN, Treasurer
 GEORGE H. FOWLER
 ALBRO WELLS
 FRANK N. GILMAN.

FINANCIAL REPORT

The town treasurer received of the executors of the William G. Kelley estate the following:

REAL ESTATE

The Bartlett field for which was paid	\$2,000 00
The Orrison G. Cass real estate for which was paid	3,200 00
	\$5,200 00

AVAILABLE FUNDS

Deposited Bristol Savings Bank	\$3,000 00
Laconia Savings Bank	2,000 00
New Hampshire Savings Bank	1,050 00
Lowell Five Cent “	1,132 55
“ City Institute	1,000 00
First National Bank, Bristol	236 69
New Hampshire Trust Co.	200 00
Bristol Improvement Co. (estimated)	33 00
	\$8,652 24

Total received from said estate	\$13,852 24
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Included in assets is a bond of the Nebraska Loan and Trust Co. of the face value of \$2000 considered of such doubtful value that it was not inventoried. On this \$100 interest has been paid as appears below.

ACCRUED INTEREST, RENTS, ETC.

Lowell Five Cent Savings bank to June 7, 1905	\$111 69
New Hampshire Savings bank	63 42
Bristol Savings bank to July 1, 1905	67 00
Laconia Savings Bank to Jan. 1, 1905	65 33
	\$307 44

1905 :

May 13, Mrs. O. G. Cass, rent March and Apr.	\$16 00
July 12, C. W. Fling, interest	20 00
Nov. 25, Nebraska Loan & Trust Co.	100 00
C. Boardman, hay	38 00

1906 :

Jan. 16, I. A. Chase, interest	20 00
Feb. 14, Mrs. O. G. Cass, rent, 9 months to Feb. 1, 1906	72 00
	\$266 00

PAID OUT

1905 :

June 28, Charles Boardman	\$500 00
Oct. 7, "	250 00
12, Mary J. Gordon	150 00

Oct. 12, Record book

\$ 25

\$900 25

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. DICKINSON, Town Treasurer,
Custodian of funds.

Statement of Bonded Debt

1905 :		
Feb.	15, Bonded debt,	\$15,000 00
1906 :		
Jan.	10, From sinking fund	4,903 67
	Balance in sinking fund	
	carried forward	80 00
		\$19,983 67
1905 :		
Feb.	15, Sinking fund on hand	\$4,191 20
July	1, Received as interest	42 47
Dec.	15, Received from the town	750 00
1906 :		
Jan.	10, Bonds paid and cancelled	4,900 00
	Balance of bonded debt carried for-	
	ward	10,100 00
		\$19,983 67
Balance due on town bonds		\$10,100 00
Less amount in sinking fund		80 00
		\$10,020 00

J. W. SAUNDERS, } Selectmen
 H. T. HEATH, } of
 CHAS. W. WELLS, } Bristol.

Births Registered in the Town of Bristol for the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1905.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any).	Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.	No. of Child 1st, 2d, etc.	Color.	Father's Name.	Mother's Maiden Name.	Color.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
Jan. 31	Pauline.	M.	Living.	5	All White	F. P. Kenney.	Lizzie A. Dugdale	Bristol.	Blacksmith.	Pro. of Quebec	Providence, R.I.	Providence, R.I.	34	29
Feb. 16	Pauline.	F.	"	1	"	C. L. Corliss.	Gertude Potter.	"	Clergyman.	Plymouth	Bristol.	Bristol.	33	21
Mar. 7	"	M.	"	6	"	L. A. Woodman.	Ada L. Tilton.	"	Teamster.	Bridgewater	Bristol.	Bristol.	28	27
Mar. 11	"	M.	"	4	"	John E. Marshall.	Har. et S. Sawetelle	"	Machine-Tender.	N. Brunswick	Papermill, Ms.	Papermill, Ms.	28	27
Mar. 11	"	M.	"	8	"	George W. Ballou.	Florence L. Dufer	"	"	Hill	Hill	Hill	54	33
Apr. 4	"	M.	"	1	"	H. J. Livingston.	Anna L. Patten.	"	"	Littleton, Ms.	Bristol	Bristol	54	33
Apr. 5	"	F.	"	2	"	E. L. Coolidge.	Lenora M. Stevens	"	Cream'y Hand	Hillsboro	Bristol	Bristol	54	33
Apr. 5	"	F.	"	3	"	Wm. C. Haseltine.	Flossie M. McAlister	"	Laborer.	Alexandria	W. W.	W. W.	54	33
Apr. 18	"	M.	"	3	"	Byron E. Davis.	Florence M. Baldrice	"	Papermaker.	Wentworth	Wales, Mass.	Wales, Mass.	54	33
Apr. 26	"	M.	"	9	"	John Flury.	Florence M. Baldrice	"	Papermaker.	Wentworth	Wales, Mass.	Wales, Mass.	54	33
May 12	Clayton R.	M.	"	3	"	Ralph H. Gray.	Alice M. Taylor.	"	Laborer.	Danbury	Canada	Canada	35	31
May 14	Stanton John.	M.	"	1	"	H. J. Blanchard.	Alice M. Haley.	"	Farmer.	Alexandria	Bristol	Bristol	35	31
May 14	Stanley Frank	M.	"	1	"	H. J. Blanchard.	Alice M. Haley.	"	Papermaker.	Franklin	Franklin	Franklin	35	31
June 5	"	M.	"	2	"	Ned M. Breck.	Martha Crowley.	"	"	Franklin	Franklin	Franklin	35	31
June 26	"	M.	"	4	"	J. H. Day.	Lilla M. Patten.	"	Laborer.	Wentworth	Ireland	Ireland	28	23
July 12	"	M.	"	5	"	Ervin H. Reed.	Ellie A. Bailey.	"	Finisher.	Dorchester	Alexandria	Alexandria	35	29
July 12	"	M.	"	4	"	Frank P. Wallace.	Mary E. Ashley.	"	Farmer.	N. York	Bridgewater	Bridgewater	35	29
Aug. 31	"	M.	"	3	"	Charles E. Kimball.	Hattie E. Devoto.	"	Grocer.	Franklin	Franklin	Franklin	40	29
Aug. 13	"	F.	"	2	"	Fred. E. Bant.	Susie G. Ballou.	"	"	Rocks Ferry	Bristol	Bristol	27	27
Aug. 15	"	M.	"	2	"	E. Allen Day.	E. Blanch Seavey	"	Laborer.	Corinth, Vt.	Andover	Andover	25	24
Sept. 13	"	M.	"	3	"	Alden H. Sleeper.	L. M. Blanchard.	"	Lumberman.	Corinth, Vt.	N. Hartland	N. Hartland	25	24
Sept. 20	John Francis.	F.	"	5	"	Joseph D. Croston.	Maudie E. Brooks.	"	Shoe Maker.	Manchester	Manchester	Manchester	36	29
Oct. 20	"	F.	"	8	"	Lester W. Cross.	Addie M. Getchel	"	Engineer.	Franklin	Franklin	Franklin	35	24
Oct. 24	"	F.	"	3	"	Myron H. Mosher.	Angie Bouton.	"	Teamster.	Groton	Groton	Groton	37	29
Oct. 25	Margaret.	F.	"	9	"	William E. Hill.	Jane Sawyer.	"	Laborer.	Canaan	Canaan	Canaan	33	24
Oct. 26	"	M.	"	3	"	H. A. Jessiman.	Alice Romick.	"	Farmer.	Wentworth	Wentworth	Wentworth	30	27
Oct. 26	"	M.	"	3	"	"	"	"	Farmer.	Wentworth	Wentworth	Wentworth	30	28

Marriages Registered in the Town of Bristol for the year ending Dec. 31, 1905.

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in Years.	Color of each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth.	Name of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation of Parents.	1st, 2d, or 3d Marriage.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
Jan. 14	Bristol.....	Samuel L. Pierce	Bristol.....	46		Laborer.....	Ston'm, Ms.	John H. Pierce.....	Madford, Ms.	Farmer.....	3	David Cutley
		Cora B. Watts.....	"	27		Housework.....	Rumney.....	Prudence B. Small.....	Bridford, Ms.	Housewife.....		
Mar. 26	Farm'ton..	Frank E. Merrill..	"	38		Shoe Manfg.	Barnstead..	George W. Morrill.....	Bathbury, Ms.	Shoe-Maker..	2	Bristol
		Marie V. Grosby..	"	27		Bookkeeper.	Farmington.	B. Caroline Sawyer.....	Rumney.....	Housewife..	2	John H. Wilkins
May 23	Candia	Geo. W. Seaward ..	"	40		Shoe Maker.	Stratford..	Hollis R. Morrill.....	"	Shoe-Maker..	2	Farmington
		Josephine Pollard	"	47		Housework..	Groton.....	Mad M. Sawyer.....	"	Farmer.....	2	Geo. E. Kneeland
June 19	Bristol.....	Fred C. Muzzey....	"	28		Farmer.....	Franklin ..	John D. Wheeler.....	Bristol.....	Farmer.....	1	A. B. Rowell
		Elsa M. Pollard....	"	20		Housework..	Groton.....	Anna J. Avery.....	Lyme.....	Housewife..	1	Bristol
Sept. 6	Bridg'ton ..	Oral S. Nelson	"	20		Farmer.....	Bristol.....	Josephine Wheeler.....	Bristol.....	Housewife..	1	David Cutley
		Lucy C. Nichols....	Bridgewater	16		Housework..	Bridgewater	Levi J. Nelson.....	Sanbornton..	Farmer.....	1	Bristol
Oct. 3	Franklin...	Edward A. Blake	Bristol.....	35		Mail Carrier	Bristol.....	Zion Wiggins.....	"	Farmer.....	1	Elmer E. Reynolds
		Viola A. Hastings	Franklin...	22		Teacher.....	"	Amelia C. Overy.....	Hill.....	Housewife..	1	Franklin
12	Sanb'ton ..	Olis J. Smith.....	Bristol.....	17		Sett. Hand..	"	Roswell Blake.....	"	Laborer.....	1	Elisha H. Wright
		Lizzie L. Robbins ..	"	16		Housework..	"	Sarah E. Dickinson.....	Alexandria ..	Housewife..	1	Sanbornton
								Addie Thomas.....	Orange.....	Section Boss		
								Ellen M. Kenney.....	Canada.....	Housewife..		
								W. G. Robbins.....	"	Ice Dealer...		
								Elvira Chapman.....	"	Housewife..		

Oct. 26	Sanb'ton	John Haley	Bristol	50	Laborer	Brookline	Patrick Haley, Julia Brion, Levi Wallace				1	Elisha H. Wright
		Mary E. Moody	"	42	Housework					Farmer	2	Sanborn-ton
29	Ashland	Elwin A. Blake	"	27	Mill Hand	N. Hampton	Frank G. Blake, Emma F. Haynes	New Hampton		Farmer	2	E. G. Eastman
		Lucy E. Bishop	Ashland	21	Housework	Fremont	Edward E. Bishop	Raymond		Housewife	1	Meredith
Nov. 11	Bristol	Otty E. Decato	Bristol	22	Laborer	Canaan	Emma A. Ham, Agnes Hill	Stratford		Shoe Worker	1	H. E. Lennon
		Myrtle B. Haley	"	18		Bristol	Joseph Decato, Jill L. Adams	Stamstead, P.Q.		Housewife	1	
Dec. 1	"	Arthur W. Chase	"	22	Laborer	Quincy, Ill.	Frank P. Haley, Albert S. Chase	Canaan		Housewife	1	Enfield
		Marian H. Walker	"	22	Housework	St. John's, V.	Anna J. Adamson, Robert M. Walker	Piermont		Teamster	1	Welbee-Butterfield
25	"	Willis L. Bralley	"	23	Laboret	Dunbury	Louisa H. Haines, Clark V. Bralley	N. Hartley, P.Q.		Janitor	1	Bristol
		Eva M. Patten	"	22	Weaver	Alexandria	Amanda M. Patten-sons, Freeman Patten	Barton, Vt.		Milk Dealer	1	David Calley
							Emma			Housewife	1	Bristol

Deaths Registered in the Town of Bristol for the Year ending Dec. 31, 1905.

Date of Death.	Name.	Age.		Place of Birth.	Sex.	Color.	Single, Married, or Widowed.	Occupation.	Birthplace of Father.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Cause of Death.
		Years.	Months.									
Jan.	1 Clara E. Kemp.....	51	5	1 Manchester.	F	M	M	Housewife	Vermont.....	W. H. Perkins.....	Susan Dr. W.....	Val. Heart Disease
	30 Stewart L. Brown.....	54	2	1 Penacook.....	F	M	M	Merchant		J. S. Brown.....	Sophia Drown.....	Canceroma.....
Feb.	3 Charlotte Serbiner.....	82	125		F	M	W	Housewife				Acute Indigestion
	25 George Pearson.....	59	4		M	M	M	Farmer				Valvular Lesions.
Mar.	25 A. W. Bingham.....	80		Lempster.....	M	M	M	Farmer		Theron Bingham	Alma da Guilford	Nephritis.....
	21 Edwin O. Martin.....	71	30	1 Bridgewater	M	M	M	Farmer	Bridgewater	Cambridge, Ms	Albigail Frost	Chronic Nephritis
Apr.	1 Sarah E. Smith.....	79	13	1 N. Hampton	F	M	W	Housewife	New Hampton	John Drake	Albigail Hamford	Malarial Poisoning
	3 Russell P. Tyrrell.....	75	4	1 Bristol	M	M	M	Farmer		Nathan Tyrrell	Rachel Fuller	Heart Disease.....
	14 Mary Bennett.....	72	49	1 Franklin.....	F	M	M	Housewife	Scotland	Alex. Hutchinson	Betsy S. Turrell	Or'anic H't Disease
May	25 Edith Gove.....	25		1 Groton.....	F	M	M	"	Danville, Vt.	G. D. MacLinn	Mary E. Holbart	Mil. Tuberculosis.
	10 S. J. Blanchard.....	52	10	1 Newport	M	M	M	Exp. Agt.	Franklin	Harry Blanchard	Alice M. Haley	Premature Birth.
	23 Fred W. Bingham.....	17	3	1 Woodsville.	M	M	M	Laborer	Lempster.....	A. W. Bingham	Alvira Thompson	Comp. of Diseases
June	17 Henry Teto.....	12	7	1 P. Q.	M	M	W	Laborer	Lake Village.	Wm. J. Bennett	Caroline Plumer	Pul. Tuberculosis
July	7 Ellie Blackstone.....	75		1 Plymouth.	F	M	M	Housewife	St. Albans, Vt	B. E. Blackstone.	Susan M. Brock.	Gastro Enteritis
Aug.	15 Nancy G. Homans.....	76	15	1 Alexandria.	F	M	M	Housewife	Gilmanton	Aaron Stearns	Clarissa	Pneumonia.....
	23 Jane Peary.....	22	8	1 Canada	F	M	M	"	Canada	Edmund Peary	Isabel Benton	Or'anic H't Disease
Sept.	9 Elizabeth White.....	75	52	1 Some worth.	F	M	M	"		James B. Little	Olette	Pul. Tuberculosis
	10 Arthur D. Varney.....	10	29	1 Bristol	M	M	M	Farmer	Rumney	David Sleeper	Mary M. Sawyer	Cerebral Apoplexy
Oct.	4 Ods. F. Cross.....	35	2	1 Bridgewater	M	M	M	Laborer		Leon H. Varney		Chronic Gastritis.
	8 Melissa Southard.....	88	2	1 Bath.....	F	M	W	Housewife				Colitis
	11 Emma B. Goodhue.....	25	10	1 Groton	F	M	W	Housewife		James Blackelder	Sally Morrill	Neurasthenia.....
	25 Phoebe A. Dunbar.....	75	11		F	M	W	"				Old Age.....
Dec.	24 Russelclarr Field.....	58	9	1 Penacook.....	F	M	M	Farmer	Deer Isle, Me.	Alfred L. Rich.	Mary E. Joy	Or'anic H't Disease
	10 Mabel Johnson.....	50	10	1 Goul'oro, Me	F	M	M	Housewife	Londonderry.	John Patten.....	Daisy Abbott	Shock
	27 Samuel A. Patten.....	79	3	1 Alexandria	M	M	W	Farmer	Londonderry.			Or'anic H't Disease

I hereby certify that the above returns are correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

DAVID M. CALLEY, TOWN CLERK.

